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Group No.: 2811

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Examiner: Vu, Hung K.

PAD OVER ACTIVE CIRCUIT SYSTEM AND METHOD WITH MESHED SUPPORT

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner, mailed March 17, 2006, for a second time rejecting claims 1, 2, 4-18, 20, 21, 27, 29, and 30.

STATUS OF APPLICANT 1.

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity.

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

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3. EXTENSION OF TERM

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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